with his message. At this moment

ly asked, "Can I be of any use, str?"

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the note and galloped away with i

no man knows. The duke always de

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A Frost Desolated Land.

thing about Spitzbergen, that deser-

arctic Island 500 miles north of the

North cape of Norway and within 700

niles of the north pole; a frost desolat

ed land, where the grass grows longer than the trees and huge glaclers in the

ice bridged valleys amid the Jagged

to the sea until mighty leebergs, a

monstrous birth, break off and rise

once the only sound that broke the

earth that is positively known as No

Man's land. It is the possession o

no country and has nothing even re-

sembling a specified government. The

island seems likely to remain No

Man's Land, though it is said that an

effort has been made by Norway to

establish some sort of protectorate over

Edward III.'s Drum Corps.

Probably introduced from the east,

is frequently mentioned in the accounts

of the first crusade. When Edward

III, and his queen made their trium-

phal entry into Calals, "tambours," or

drums, were among the instruments

which were played in their honor. An-

other of these was called a "naker,"

or kettledrum, taken, together with it

name, from the Arabs. The poet Chau

cer also mentions this instrument in

his description of the tournament is

The king generally kept a troop

on one occasion gave a sum of 60

shillings to Roger the trumpeter, Janine

the nakerer and others for their per-

The Soul and the Beard.

In Russia it was the common belief

up to the time of Peter the Great that

beardless men were also soulless and

that a man who purposely admitted

having his beard marred could never

enter heaven. The great Peter above

referred to ordered his heathens to

"shave up," so as to appear more civ

lized, and when they refused to compl

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Most Wonderful Cave In the World. most wonderful cave in the is in the island of Tonga, in the south Pacific. Byron called it chapel of the seas." It is formed in a rock that is almost surrounded by the cean. This rock is about sixty feet high and broad proportionately. Many years ago a boy, the son of a native hief, was chasing a huge turtle, whe his game seemed to sink into the rock lad watched and waited until the ide fell, disclosing a small opening in the rock about six feet under low wa ter mark. Diving boldly, the young hunter entered the aperture and, to his surprise, came to the surface in side the rock. The rock was hollow. and its interior was found afterward when the natives explored it with contain many beautiful stalactites. When attacked and followed by enemies, the natives, who know the secret, leave their canoes, plunge into the water and disappear Their foes linger, astonished at their disappearance, for no person not acquainted with it would suspect that the rock was hollow.

Origin of Two Familiar Preverbs. It was the habit of the great Greek however busy he chanced to be, without practicing his hand by tracing the nas now passed into a proverb-"No to exhibit it to the view of those who visited his studio, while he himself. hidden behind the picture, would listen to their comments. It is said that once a shoemaker censured him for having painted a pair of shoes with one latchet too few. Next day the shoemaker, revisiting the studio, saw that the paint er had corrected the mistake. He then began to criticise the leg of the porupon which Apelles came for

tallized into a proverb, "Let the cob-bler stick to his last." - Pliny the Elder

maker should not go beyond the shoes

a piece of advice which has also crys

It was the French assassin Lupi who scaped to sea from Cayenne in a cof-He managed to get some usils, tar and cotton, and one dark night be got into the coffin shed. He selected a fastened the lid in order to turn it into enable him to crawl in. He calked all the joints as well as he could, and when this work was finished he made a pair of paddles out of two planks. Then he brought out his craft with great precaution. Without much difficulty he reached the water's edge. Siently and slowly he proceeded in the hope of reaching either Venezuela o British Guiana, 150 nantical miles distant. Fortunately or unfortunately for Lupi, the steamer Abellie, returning from the Antilles, off Paramartho pick ed him up, half drowned and almost in a fainting condition, and a few hours later he was in frons in his cell.

Too Long Winded.
The inhabitants of the Canary isles finding themselves oppressed by famne, sent to the governor of Galicia one of their head men as an ambassado They advised him not to lose himself in long winded talk. He promised and kept his word. He took with him a large number of sacks, and, arriving at the town where the governor was on the circuit, he opened one of them before him, saying only these words: "It is empty. Fill it."

The governor ordered this sack and the rest to be filled with meal, but he said to the speaker; "You had no need to tell us that the sack was empty nor that it was necessary to fill it. We should have readily guessed that. Another time be briefer in your talk." Bon Vivant.

Look Into Space.

A voung man whose eyes had been troubling him consulted a New York oculist. "What you want to do," said the specialist, "Is to take a trip every day on the ferry or in New Jersey. Long Island-any place where you can see long distances. Look up and down the river, across fields or, if the worst comes to the worst, go on the top of a skyscraper and scan the horizon from that point. The idea is to get distance. You use your eyes a great deal and always at close range. You can't us them any other way in town. when not reading or writing the vision is limited by small rooms and narrov streets. No matter in what direction you look, there is a blank wall not far away to shut off sight."

"Conductor," said the gasping pas senger, valuly trying to raise a window there are at least a billion microbes in this car."

"You ought to be able to stand that if the company can," growled the street car conductor. "We don't get a blamed cent for carrying 'em." -- Chicago Tribune.

Lies Low. "Of course she doesn't like discus sions about ages." "No. Usually when she's queried

about hers she just says nothing, but lies low." "Yes, or if she says anything she

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Convenient. "So you have three pairs of glasses

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In Chancers. Agors P. Bean,
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for the complainant a divorce from the tond of matrimony from the defendant, and fo general relief. general relief.

It appearing by an effidavit filed in this came that the defendant, Agnes P. Bean, is a non-resident of this state; it is referred. That said defendant appear here within titeen days after due publication of this order. seen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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At a meeting of the Congressional State Democratic Committee, for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, held at the Prince William Hotel, in the town of Manasses, Virginia, on the 9th day of March, 1908, pursuant to a call issued by the chairman, the Hon. George S. Shackelford, there were present, the chairman, Col. Grenville Gaines; R. T. Green, Gardner I. Boothe and Thos. H. Lion. The following resolutions was adopted:

Be it resolved by the Congressional Democratic Commit tee for the Eighth Congressional District of Virginia, that a primary election, for the democratic candidate for the United States House of Representatives, he held throughout said District on the 9th day of June, 1908, between sunrise and sunset of that day, at all est thished precincts or wards, and as near as possible in the usual voting places therein; he it further.

Resolved, that asaid election sil known white democrats and those who have never before voted, who shall declare themselves to be democrats, shall be silowed to vote, provided they will be qual-fied to vote at the next general election in November, 1908; be it further.

Resolved, that all candidates shall file a notice, in writing, of their candidacy, with Hon. George S. Sha kelford, of Orange, Virginis, on or before April 4 h, 1908; be it nurther.

Resolved, that each candidate shall pay to the said Boo. George S. hackelford, on or before the 15th day of April, 19-8, his provided they will be defined to the said primary election; be it further.

Resolved, that any sum remaining after the expenses of said election are paid, shall be returned pro rata to the various candidates; be it further,

Resolved, that this rection shall be separate and independent and not held in connection with any other primary.

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